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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director (Plans)

SUBJECT : Intelligence Community Guidance for   
 SENTRY

1. I have received from the Secretary of the IAC letters from Secretary Quarles and General Erskine dealing with the subject problems, which letters have been under consideration by the USIB preliminarily. I have been meeting with OSI,  of DD/I (under the leadership of General Truscott's office), and more recently with representatives of the Services to discuss informally proper arrangements for the intelligence community to be able to exploit  SENTRY for intelligence purposes. I concur in the attached memorandum which was developed by the foregoing people (Tab A). OSI had some difficulty with not having CIA in the Chair. I believe this is not and should not be an issue at this time though it might be in the future. This present proposal ensures not only that our interests but those of the other members of the intelligence community may be brought to bear, would allow us to get some experience and would not preclude us from developing different arrangements later on. Consideration has been given to whether the problem incident to these two projects might be handled under the ARC. While this would perhaps not be impossible, I would certainly think that at this stage it best not be attempted.

2. Should the Director inquire whether you do concur in this, I so recommend.

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Chief, Special Requirements Staff  
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**Attachments**

- A. USIB-D-33.6/3-27 Mar 59
- B. USIB-D-33.6/2-20 Mar 59
- C. Memo to Chmn USIB dtd 5 Mar 59  
from General Erskine

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cc: Acting Chief, DPD-2002/06/10 : CIA-RDP61-00763A000100070068-3

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